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Application No.: 09/620,586 Examiner: BELYAVSKI, M.  
Filed: July 20, 2000 Conf.: 2471  
For: METHOD FOR DOWN-REGULATING GDF-8 ACTIVITY

LETTER REQUESTING INITIALED PTO 1449 FORM(S)

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May 20, 2005

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The following has been received in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on the date of this facsimile:

☐ Petition  
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☐ Amendment  
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In response to the interview dated April 22, 2005, and summarized in the Interview Summary mailed with the Notice of Allowance dated May 2, 2005, the Applicants submit the following statement regarding the substance of the interview.

- A) No exhibits or demonstrations were conducted.
- B) All independent claims were discussed.
- C) No prior art was discussed.
- D) The agreed claim amendments are accurately described in the Notice of Allowance dated May 2, 2005, as indicated by the Examiner.
- E) The amendment was made to place the claims in condition for allowance, including the cancellation without prejudice of claims 29-37 and 40 in response to Examiner's restriction;

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F) No other pertinent matters were discussed.

G) During the telephone interview of April 22, 2005, authorization was given for the Examiner's amendment as appended to the Notice of Allowance dated May 2, 2005.

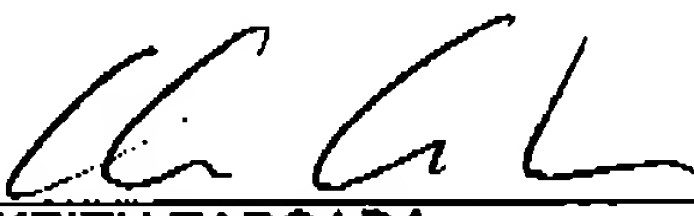
Although Applicants believe that no fees are due in connection with this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782, for any other fees, including extension of time fees or excess claim fees, required to make this response timely and acceptable to the Office.

Thus, Applicants submit that the application is in condition for issuance. Accordingly, the Applicants respectfully request entry of this paper and swift passage to issue of this application.

If, however, the Examiner believes that any unresolved issues still exist, it is requested that the Examiner telephone the undersigned so that appropriate arrangements can be made for resolving such issues as expeditiously as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

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May 20, 2005

Sir:

It is respectfully submitted that a **claim for foreign priority** was made in this application and the Examiner has acknowledged the claim for foreign priority but has not confirmed receipt of the certified priority document which was filed on August 25, 2005.

Please correct all relevant records to reflect this and forward confirmation to the undersigned attorney as soon as possible.

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